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Jacques DUROCHER

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For:           **HOCKEY HELMET COMPRISING A LATERAL ADJUSTMENT  
MECHANISM**

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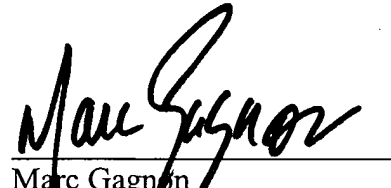
Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119, the applicant's claim to the benefit of filing of prior Canadian Patent Application No. 2,437,545, filed on August 15, 2003, as stated in the inventor's Declaration, is hereby confirmed.

A certified copy of the Canadian application is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Specification and Drawings, as originally filed, with Application for Patent Serial No:  
2,437,545, on August 15, 2003, by **BAUER NIKE HOCKEY INC.**, assignee of  
Jacques Durocher, for "Hockey Helmet Comprising a Lateral Adjustment Mechanism".

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